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Docket No.: 5986/01124



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Daniel Meruelo; Kouichi Ohno

Serial No.: 08/829,558

Art Unit: 1645

Confirmation No.:

Filed: March 28, 1997

Examiner: R. Zeman

For: VIRAL VECTORS HAVING CHIMERIC ENVELOPE PROTEINS
CONTAINING THE IGG-BINDING DOMAIN OF PROTEIN A

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Hon. Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated
December 22, 2000 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-10, 18-23, 27-31.

The item(s) checked below are applicable:

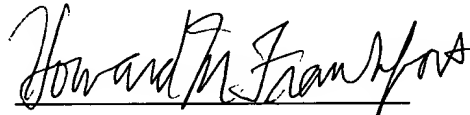
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1. ☒ An extension of time to respond to the final rejection is required: a petition and fee of ~~\$695.00~~ ^{\$445.00} are enclosed.
 2. ☐ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
 3. ☐ Fee \$.00: ☒ Fee \$155.00 (small entity):
☐ Enclosed
☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
- ☒ Charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 04-0100

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: June 22, 2001

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